

Alexandria Gazette

SATURDAY EVENING, MAR. 31, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:45 a. m. and sets at 6:24 p. m. High water at 12:09 a. m. and 12:30 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair and colder tonight and Sunday; fresh, possibly brisk northwesterly winds.

Church Services Tomorrow.

CHRIST CHURCH.—Rev. Wm. J. Morton, rector. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the rector.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. P. P. Phillips.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.—Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Edgar Carpenter.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH.—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. Mr. May.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH.—Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. First mass at 7 a. m. High mass and sermon at 10:30 a. m. Vespers and benediction at 4 p. m.

ST. JOHN'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. in the First Presbyterian Church, on south Fairfax street. Mr. Shaug of the Union Theological Seminary, is expected to preach.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Dr. Fisher.

TRINITY METHOD. EPIS. CHURCH.—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. J. A. Jeffers. Young People's Meeting at 6:30 p. m.

METHOD. EPIS. CHURCH SOUTH.—Sunday school 9:30 a. m. Epworth League at 7:30 p. m.

METHOD. EPIS. CHURCH.—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. H. S. Ewell and Christian Endeavor rally at 7:30 p. m. Mr. Speidel, of Washington, will deliver an address.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.—Lee street near Wilkes—Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. B. A. Seull.

VILLAGE CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.—Church street, near Alfred—Sunday school at 2:45 p. m. Preaching at 4:00 p. m.

BAPTIST MISSION.—Corner of Pendleton and Columbus streets—Sunday school and preaching at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting every Tuesday at 7:30 o'clock.

DEL. BAY CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH SOUTH.—Sunday school at 2 p. m. Preaching at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 8 p. m.

ALBIS HOUSE.—Services at 2:30 p. m. Mission—West side of Fairfax street, between Franklin and Jefferson streets—Services at 7:30 p. m.

ROBERTS CHAPEL, M. E. CHURCH (colored).—Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

METHOD CHAPEL.—Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Evening service at 5 p. m.

JERRETT BAPTIST CHURCH (colored).—South Pitt street—Rev. W. H. Johnson, pastor—Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 7:30 p. m.

The Potomac River.

While not reaching quite as high as on Thursday, the Potomac river on a second rise increased its height several feet at Williamsport yesterday, creating fresh alarm. There and at other places along the stream, the rise was caused by unusually heavy rains. The river began rising again Thursday night, and the water came up about 6 inches to the hour until yesterday at noon, when there was a slight falling off. Wheat fields have been under water and badly washed and a quantity of fencing swept away. Other damage is also reported from the high water. A dispatch from Harper's Ferry says that the Potomac and Shenandoah rivers at their confluence last night were 10 feet above low water mark by government gauge, a fall of 34 feet during the day.

Conditions on the river front of this city are gloomy today. A raw north-east wind was prevailing and rain seemed imminent. The water in the river was muddy and much of the surface was covered with trash which had been brought down from above. There is a perceptible current in the river and high tides are expected.

Steamer Repaired.

The steamer Norfolk of the Norfolk and Washington line, which was recently damaged in a collision with a schooner in Chesapeake bay near Old Point, and which had been at Newport News undergoing repairs has returned to Washington and is now being made ready to resume her place on the Norfolk route. The steamer Newport News has been running in her place. While at the shipyard the steamer was given her spring overhauling and painting. Her saloon, galleries and state rooms are being re-carpeted.

Robberies.

The police have been notified by Mr. Luther Carter that the stable, 116 Cameron street, was broken open a night or two ago and the following articles stolen therefrom: A bureau, five chairs, a number of pictures, clothing, a carpet, stove-pipe, &c. The stolen goods belonged to Mr. W. H. Caton.

Mr. George White reports that Mr. M. Schuler's slaughter house was broken open Thursday night and a red and white cow stole.

Second Presbyterian Church.

There were no services last Sunday or Wednesday night in the Second Presbyterian Church, owing to improvements being made in the edifice. As these are not yet completed. The church services and morning Sunday school tomorrow will be held in the First Church, on south Fairfax street.

Rev. G. B. Strickler, D. D., of Union Theological Seminary, will occupy the pulpit tomorrow week.

The Market.

The supply of country produce in market this morning was exceedingly small, probably on account of the prevailing rainy weather and the almost impassable condition of some of the roads leading to this city. Prices were practically unchanged. The butchers and hucksters had average supplies of articles in their respective lines, and there was an abundance of fresh fish at former prices.

Inspection.

Company G, Seventeenth Regiment, Virginia Volunteer Infantry, (Alexandria Light Infantry), Capt. P. J. Murphy, was inspected at the armory last night by Maj. Edward Chenoweth, of the Nineteenth Infantry, U. S. A., who will make his report to the adjutant general of the State militia. The inspection was public, and the company was generally believed to have made a favorable showing.

Ready for Business.

The Alexandria Home Fire Insurance Company have deposited \$10,000 in Corporation of Alexandria bonds with the State Treasurer, and is now ready to take risks on property. Mr. Wm. H. May has been actively engaged recently

The Postoffice.

At eight o'clock tonight, after having served eight years as postmaster at this city, Mr. Joseph L. Crupper will retire from that office and will be succeeded by Mr. Thomas Burroughs, who has been connected with that office as clerk and assistant postmaster during the past third of a century. Mr. Burroughs will be succeeded as assistant postmaster by Mr. James E. Johnston, but there will be no further changes in the office. Mr. Crupper has made one of the most popular postmasters Alexandria has ever had. During his incumbency the building has been greatly enlarged and improved; many postal facilities added and the force in the office greatly increased. While the retiring postmaster has ever been quick to anticipate the wants of the patrons of the office and always ready to meet such, his executive ability has been marked. He has been progressive and has done much toward advancing the business interests of the city. He retires from the office with the best wishes of his many friends and acquaintances. All of whom hope success may crown his efforts in all walks of life. Similar good wishes are extended Mr. Burroughs for a successful administration of the affairs of the office. He has been faithful in a subordinate position and will be equally so as postmaster.

Alexandria Directory.

The twelfth year of Richmond's Alexandria directory shows a gratifying condition. The directory will be issued next week, and it contains 22 pages more than last year. There is much information in the appendix at the front of the book concerning city government, banks, incorporated companies, various societies, trades unions, churches, cemeteries, clubs, etc., and this year there is given the chief officer and secretary of each fraternal organization. The list of postoffices in Virginia has been corrected to January 1st. The routes of the rural free delivery are also shown. The directory embraces the immediate suburbs, as well as the city, and contains the names of 8,439 individuals residing in this locality. This would indicate a population of 21,097 of which 6,612 are colored, or about 31 per cent. The population of Alexandria proper cannot be estimated by the directory canvass, as that includes the outlying districts, while the census scope at the corporate limits. This directory is probably the best that has ever been issued for Alexandria, and should be well supported. The price is \$3.50 and may be had from R. E. Knight, who is the local representative.

More Double-Tracking.

The Southern Railway has awarded contracts approximating \$5,000,000 to W. J. Oliver, of Knoxville, the largest railroad contractor in the United States, for additional double tracking. The track will extend twenty-five miles south of Lynchburg, forty miles between Knoxville and Morristown, and fifteen miles between Chattanooga and Ocala, through Missionary Ridge. Mr. Oliver has just begun a stretch of about forty miles for the Southern between Greensboro and Spencer, S. C., and has almost completed the double tracking between Austell and Atlanta. These improvements are to be paid for from the proceeds of the recent bond issue of \$20,000,000. Mr. Oliver is also constructing a tunnel through Lookout Mountain and a dam across the Tennessee river at Chattanooga. Mr. Oliver was the contractor for the double-tracking of the road between Alexandria and Orange.

"The Village Fool."

The Cuba, N. Y., Free Press has the following to say of "The Village Fool," which will appear at the Opera House next Monday night: A Q. Scammon's "The Village Fool," at the Opera House last Thursday, was one of the very best attractions of the season. "The Village Fool" is a rural comedy drama of more than ordinary merit and was exceptionally well presented by a company of ten high class artists. The principal character in the play is Ninnie Soggs, known as the village fool, but who is really a kind hearted old man, of more than ordinary discernment. Every member of the company is first class. Several clever specialties are introduced—namely, pleasing vocal selections by Fred De Von and Miss Taylor, and the buck and wing dancing by Baby Vernon, who is the finest child artist in this line we have ever seen.

The Jameson Studio.

A notable display of exceptionally fine photograph samples of fine work is being shown at the Jameson studio, 417 King street. Among the display are photos of city officials, prominent business men, the different banking houses and views of the Washington birthday parade. These people have already established an enviable reputation through the high grade of work turned out and their courteous treatment. For this class of photographic work it has long been necessary to go to Washington to have done, but the public is now being influenced to patronize home industry as it is now possible to procure the finest grade of work without the trouble and expense of going elsewhere.

The Weather.

The weather for the most part of today has been rainy and gloomy, and the number of people on the streets has consequently been limited. Many persons from the surrounding country were prevented from making their usual Saturday visits to the city in consequence of the rain and bad condition of the roads. According to the forecasts of March, 1906, will be attended by brist northwesterly winds and colder conditions—or, in other words, that the month is destined to go out as a lion.

Police Court.

There was but one case to be disposed of in the Police Court this morning. Two men had been arrested for vagrancy, and they were sentenced to the chain gang for ten days. The officers report last night as having been rainy and quiet.

"To Cure a Felon."

says Sam. Kendall, of Phillipsburg, Kan., "just cure it over with Bucklen's Arnica Salve and the Salve will do the rest." Quick cure for Burns, Boils, Sores, Scalds, Wounds, Piles, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Chapped Hands, Sore Feet and Sore Eyes. Only 25c at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Guaranteed.

If it is a bilious attack take Chamberlain Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by

Personal.

Capt. James F. Webster today completed his forty years of service on the police force.

Mrs. Wm. E. Latham is rapidly recovering from a severe attack of grip.

Mrs. H. K. Field has gone to Cumberland, Md., to attend the Baltimore Conference of the M. E. Church South.

Dr. Thompson, U. S. N., wife and son, of Charlotte, N. C., are visiting Mrs. J. M. Hill.

Mr. M. A. Ahern was taken suddenly ill at his store yesterday, but is much better today.

Miss Emma Leatherland, the accomplished organist of the Northern Methodist church of Alexandria, Va., accompanied by Miss Anna Willets, of Belvidere, Ill., who came east with Congressman Charles E. F. and wife, to spend some time in Washington, are spending a few days with their cousins, Mrs. S. K. Yantley and Allen Gimmel, [Blue Ridge Zephyr of Waynesboro, Pa.]

Athletic Contests.

As stated yesterday the second annual athletic contest under auspices of the athletic association of the Episcopal High School will be held tonight.

Should the weather be fair a number of Alexandrians will attend the contest.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Tomorrow will be All Fools' Day.

Mr. Hiram Webb is engaged in papering the Second Presbyterian Church which he is doing in very handsome style.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to Arnold G. Tait and Margaret G. Douglass, of Leeburg.

Dr. Wm. M. Smith has sold to Mrs. Nora M. Reardon a lot on the north side of Prince street between Columbus and Alfred.

Mrs. V. L. M. Taylor has filed suit in the Circuit Court for a limited divorce from her husband, Robert Taylor, and for alimony.

Mr. Robert Pinkerton, clerk of the Pinkerton detective agency, passed through this city last night from the south on his way to Benning.

During the month this clerk of the Corporation Court recorded 67 deeds and issued 30 marriage licenses—16 to white and 14 to colored persons.

According to a dispatch received in this city last night, the body of the late Joseph Breen, who fell from a railway bridge at Dayton, Ohio, Thursday, had not been recovered.

The crew of the Baltimore and Ohio R. R. transfer tugboat Brewerton caught three boats adrift Thursday night. They were attached to each other and are supposed to have drifted down from Washington.

The Baltimore authorities have requested the police of this city to look-out for three boys—Robert Ways, 14 years old, Nelson Rivers, 16 and—Myers, 13—who have left the monumental city in search of adventures.

Mrs. Mamie R. Soilers, who states that she was married to her husband in Alexandria, in August, 1902, and that they lived together until March, 1906, when, she alleges, she was deserted, yesterday in Washington filed suit in the District Supreme Court for a limited divorce from Randolph Soilers.

Fried Clams 30 cents a dozen. Oysters fried, stewed or raw. Clam Soup 5c. Vegetable Soup 5c. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space.

Suit for Divorce.

Former State Senator James G. McCune, of the Winchester district, who gained great notoriety a few years ago as author of the famous anti-biasing and anti-flirting bill in the Virginia General Assembly, is being sued for divorce and permanent alimony by his wife. She was Miss Mary Parker, the 16-year-old daughter of Charles F. Parker, of Cedar Creek, and she eloped to Hagerstown, Md., with Mr. McCune last September. They were married there by Rev. A. B. Statton after her brothers had a dispute at the court clerk's office. R. Gray Williams, attorney for Mrs. McCune, instituted divorce proceedings yesterday in the Frederick County Circuit Court. She claims that Mr. McCune deserted her two weeks after the marriage.

It seems the only rational remedy for Coughs and Colds would be to move the bowels and cure the mucous membranes of the throat and lungs at the same time. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar does this. It is the Original Laxative Cough Syrup, the best known remedy for Coughs, Colds, Croup, Whooping Cough, etc. Tastes good and harmless. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 40 King street.

3 Cans Best Tomatoes, 25c. 4 cans Corn, 25c; 4 cans Peas, 25c; 4 cans Bartlett Pears, 25c; 3 cans Wagner Baked Beans, 25c; 3 cans Stringless Beans, 25c; 3 cans Sweet Potatoes, 25c; 2 cans Table Peaches, 25c; 7 cakes Hot Cake Soap, 25c.

W. P. WOOLLS & SON, Royal and Wolfe streets.

PARADISE REGAINED.

The third lecture of the series of Talks on Truth-Full Topics will be delivered by Mr. Stephen Kendall, of Washington, Penna., on MONDAY NIGHT, April 2nd, in the hall over the Alexandria National Bank at 7:45 o'clock. The topic announced is Restitution, and Mr. Kendall promises to prove that the garden of Eden will in due time be restored over the earth, and that the two doctrines of Election and Free Grace are harmonious only when taught in conjunction with restitution. The lecture is made without charge and all Christian people are invited.

Special. A 25c JAR OF SI VER CREAM, 20c. A 25c CAN OF KRUPP'S FAMOUS SILVER POLISH, 10c.

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WANTED.—YOUNG MAN to clerk in grocery store, must be honest, sober and industrious and quick at figures; reference required; good wages. Address in own handwriting "GROCEER," care of Alexandria Gazette.

LOST.—Sunday morning on Prince, between Washington and Columbus streets, a GOLD WATCH on a red fob. Finder will please return to St. Mary's Academy and receive reward.

FOR RENT.—TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE, 230 north Roy's street. Apply to J. ANET G. LEADBEATER, 329 north Washington street.

WANTED.—A competent colored man as WAITER. Apply at CHAS. H. ZIMMERMAN'S, Market Space.

SPECIAL SALE.

During the next 30 days we will be compelled to reduce our \$5,000 stock of shoes to \$3,000, and in order to do this we will offer

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The stock is large and varied and will meet the wants of all.

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Silk "Radiums," an entirely new weave; all shades at \$1.

Silk Crepes for dresses and waists; evening shares. Special good value for 59c.

Black Guaranteed Taffeta Silk, 89c value for 75c.

New Silk Brilliants, 49c value at 25c.

Silk Aeolians, in all shades, at 25c yard.

Colored Taffeta Silks, 69c value, at 59c

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GENERAL JACQUEMINOT, brilliant crimson; great favorite..... 10c each

JOHN HOPPER, bright rose, carmine center..... 10c each

MAGNA CHARTA, dark rose pink..... 10c each

PAUL KEYRON, immense flowers. Deep shining rose..... 10c each

CONCORD GRAPE VINES..... 5c each

NIAGARA GRAPE VINES..... 5c each

MOORE'S EARLY GRAPE VINES..... 5c each

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6 room frame..... 6.50

908 PRINCESS STREET,

6 room brick, bath..... 15.00

1113 PRINCE STREET,

9 room brick..... 18.00

314 SOUTH HENRY STREET,

6 room frame..... 6.50

SECOND FLOOR, 321 KING STREET,

6 rooms and bath..... 15.00

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